

CLAIMS AS AMENDED JULY OF 2005

I CLAIM:

1. (Original) A lighted memorial for a grave or other memorial, the lighted memorial comprising:

a shepherd's staff shaped support having a first end adapted to be driven into the ground and having a second end which forms a hook;

at least one hollow ornament of translucent material having at least one loop, the loop and the hook cooperating to support the ornament when the hook is engaged with the loop;

at least one solar-electricity cell;

at least one light; and

at least one rechargeable battery.

2. (Original) A solar powered memorial comprising:

a free-standing support,

a solar-electricity cell,

a rechargeable battery,

a light, the solar-electricity cell, battery and light being operatively connected, and

a memorial ornament illuminated by the light.

3. (Currently Amended) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament is able to stand free ~~from the grave~~ by means of a free-standing shepherd's hook support.

4. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament is illuminated from within.
5. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament is translucent plastic.
6. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament resembles an angel.
7. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament resembles a religious figure.
8. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament resembles praying hands.
9. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament resembles a candle.
10. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the light illuminates the memorial ornament from the outside.
11. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament comprises a headstone.

12. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament comprises a plaque.
13. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the solar cell further comprises hinges allowing it to be oriented to the sun's light regardless of the orientation of the memorial.
14. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the memorial ornament may have an aperture allowing greater illumination of such grave.
15. (Currently Amended) The memorial of claim 2, ~~teaches a solar powered memorial~~ wherein the light is a flood light.
16. (Original) The memorial of claim 2, wherein the battery provides illumination during those times when the solar cell produces less electricity.